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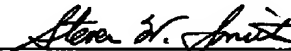
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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated April 5, 2005, the Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS**

1. Claims 2-4, 13, 14, and 16 have been canceled.
2. Claims 1, 5-9, 11, 12, 15, 17-22, and 24-27 have been amended.
3. A complete list of pending claims follows.

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